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INFO AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA
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SUBJECT: UNSC DEBATE ON BENIN COMPLAINT

REFS: (A) USUN 1031 (B) LIBREVILLE 0865

1. SC MET PM APRIL 6 TO CONSIDER BENIN COMPLAINT. AMB
ILLUECA OF PANAMA INTRODUCED REPORT OF SC MISSION TO BENIN
TO THE COUNCIL. BENIN, GUINEA, NIGER, GABON AND SAUDI
ARABIA SPOKE DURING THE SESSION (DETAILS OF SPEECHES SEPTEL-
NOTAL).

2. NOTABLE POINTS OF BENIN SPEECH WERE THAT THEY ARE GOING
TO ASK FOR COMPENSATION IN THE AMOUNT OF 6 BILLION CFA
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FRANCS (ABOUT \$25 MILLION US) AND THAT THEY DID NOT CONDEMN
ANY COUNTRY BY NAME EXCEPT FRANCE. DURING THEIR SPEECH THEY
CIRCULATED TO COUNCIL MEMBERS FRENCH-LANGUAGE VERSION OF
"REPORT OF DAMAGES INFLICTED ON BENIN" WRITTEN BY THE GOVERN-
MENT OF BENIN. THE ENGLISH-LANGUAGE EDITION WILL BE DISTRI-
BUTED TOMORROW. THEIR RESOLUTION IS STILL BEING DISCUSSED
WITHIN THE AFRICAN GROUP AND MAY ALSO EMERGE TOMORROW.

MORNING AND AFTERNOON SC MEETINGS ARE NOW SCHEDULED FOR
APRIL 7.
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